

# ROYAL

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Insures the most  
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**NO ALUM—NO PHOSPHATE**

## Local and Personal News.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Mangum, of Chesterfield spent Saturday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Stricklin and family spent Thursday in Bennettsville.

Miss Lottie Harrall, who is teaching in the Timmonsville Graded School spent Saturday and Sunday, with her mother, Mrs. L. D. Harrell.

Misses Mary and Vera Stricklin spent the week-end in Bennettsville the guest of Mrs. R. L. Freeman.

Mr. Red White, of Chesterfield, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. Ed Hancock, of Chesterfield, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. E. H. Bethea, of McCalls, spent Sunday in the city with his family.

Hon. B. F. Pegues spent Monday in Mt. Croghan.

Hon. M. J. Hough, of Chesterfield, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. M. B. Smith spent Sunday in Hartsville.

Mr. B. R. Spencer, one of Chesterfield county's progressive farmers, spent Monday in the city.

Mrs. Ward and children, of Plymouth, N. C., are visiting in the city the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harris.

Mr. J. F. Harris is reported quite sick.

Quite a number from Cheraw are attending the Chesterfield Fair this week.

L. J. Lavine spent Monday in Chesterfield.

Mr. J. L. Hill, spent Monday in Chesterfield.

Mrs. Wm. Hickson, Jr. entertained quite a number of her friends at a card party on Monday afternoon.

Mr. R. B. Laney bought the tract of land, containing about 450 acres, that was sold at public auction by Mr. C. K. Waddill, on the first Monday. The land is about six miles from Cheraw, in the Bear Creek section, and is a part of the Merriman lands.

Mr. Allen, night clerk at Hotel Covington returned from Latta Sunday night where he attended the funeral services of his brother.

Miss Mary Brasington, of Charlotte, N. C., is the guest of her uncles, Messrs. J. W. and J. M. Brasington.

Miss Sarah Chapman, who has been visiting in Sumter and Mayesville, returned home this week.

Mrs. Meta McIver Inglis is visiting relatives in the city.

The Rt. Rev. W. A. Guerry preached to a large congregation in St. David's Church on Sunday morning. The rite of Confirmation was administered to five.

Mrs. Ballinger, of Greer, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Wells.

Mrs. W. D. Evans, of Bennettsville, spent the week end with relatives in the city.

Mr. Randolph Gillespie, of Hartsville, was the guest this week of his brother, Capt. Wm. L. Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Everett and Mr. and Mrs. Payne, of Rockingham, were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Waddill.

Miss Myrtle Kinard, of Cash, spent Monday in the city.

Mrs. Hal Duvall entertained the Card Club on Tuesday evening.

Mr. C. V. McAllister, of Cash, S. C., spent Tuesday in the city.

Mr. E. G. Smith spent Sunday afternoon at Cash.

**State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.**  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1885. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## COTTON GINNED TO NOVEMBER 1

AMOUNT PLACED AT 7,384,871.

South Carolina Has 772,481—All States Much Less Than for Last Year.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The fourth cotton ginning report of the season, compiled from reports of census bureau correspondents and agents throughout the cotton belt and issued at 10 a. m. today announced that 7,384,871 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, of the growth of 1915 had been ginned prior to November 1 last year; 8,830,396 bales or 63.2 per cent., in 1913, and 8,869,222 bales, or 65.8 per cent., in 1912. The average quantity of cotton ginned prior to November 1 in the past ten years was 7,954,534 bales, or 62 per cent., of the crop.

Included in the ginning were 69,204 round bales, compared with 23,182 last year, 61,577 in 1913 and 54,539 in 1912.

Sea Island cotton included amounted to 55,358 bales, compared with 43,115, last 42,804 in 1913 and 28,887 in 1912.

The next ginning report of the census bureau will be issued at 10 a. m. Monday, November 22, and will show the quantity of cotton ginned prior to November 14.

## FLOWER SHOW.

The Flower Show of the Civic League is perhaps the most interesting "institution" of Cheraw, and is looked forward to from season to season by more people than anything else in Cheraw. Beginning in a most humble way, eight years ago, it has now outgrown the most sanguine expectations, and has done much for the encouragement of civic pride.

The Annual Fall Flower Show held in the Civic League Hall last Tuesday was the most successful and most beautiful of them all—in fact, the show has become too large for its old home—the Civic League Hall—there was not enough room for all the exhibits, as well as all the visitors.

The committee is now planning for the future shows to be held in the Town Hall where there will be room enough for everything to be advantageously displayed. So great was the crowd last Tuesday, that many beautiful and interesting exhibits were not seen—there was simply not room enough.

There were many exquisite chrysanthemums—so large and so beautiful it is difficult to believe that even a professional florist could have improved upon them. Mrs. Ems Ingram, who took the first prize for the collection of chrysanthemums, had wonderful blooms—several dozen great plants that dominated the whole exhibition. The judges had a most difficult task to distinguish between the merits of the different collections—each seemed equally beautiful. Mrs. T. P. Harrall's collection was superb, as was also Mrs. J. D. Smith's.

The specimen chrysanthemums of Mrs. Harrall (yellow); Mrs. Ingram (white); Mrs. Parker (bronze); Mrs. J. D. Smith (cream), were certainly as beautiful and perfect as any chrysanthemums could be. There were some exhibits with interesting history that the visitors appreciated—for instance, Master Harrington Thrower had on the Children's Table a vase of tiny roses, grown on a bush that has been in his family four generations and is at least 75 years old; William Thrower sent a date palm that grew from a seed he planted when he was 10 years old. Mrs. B. A. Thomas had a pepper bush that was the wonder of all who saw it. It grew from a seed she found in some "Pickling Spice" she got from Miss Jennie O. Pegues—this bush was covered completely with thousands of tiny peppers about one-half inch long; little Miss Kate Bundy had a curiosity in the shape of a gourd—the handle was at least a yard long. Mrs. Thrower had a vase of green roses grown from an old, old bush given her by Mrs. Hendrix. That bush had been growing in Mrs. Hendrix's yard longer than anybody in Cheraw can remember. Mrs. Thrower also had a plant of the "Mrs. H. D. Malloy" Chrysanthemum—the chrysanthemum that was named for the first president of the Civic League.

The Flower Show committee is trying to work up interest in these unique exhibits, and at the next show a table will be set apart for just such articles—what might be called the "Historic Table."

The list of beautiful plants and flowers is too long to mention each one that deserves mention, but special

attention was attracted by a beautiful "Ostrich Plume" fern sent by Mrs. McIver; an immense asparagus fern sent by Mrs. Ingram; mammoth bell peppers from Mrs. B. A. Thomas; a basket of ripe tomatoes from Miss Marie Lynch; a beautiful pepper bush exhibited by Mrs. Braswell, and the one by Mrs. B. A. Thomas; an enormous begonia of the Rubelle variety, sent by Mrs. Caudle; a bunch of curious vari-colored coxcombs sent by Miss Eva Caulder; enormous peonies sent by Wade Waddill; English walnuts by H. Thrower; a cactus by Mrs. E. J. Waddill and many, many more.

It was with great nicety of discretion that the following list of prizes was awarded:

Best Collection Chrysanthemums

1st—Mrs. Ems Ingram.

2nd—Mrs. T. P. Harrall.

3rd—Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Best Specimen Chrysanthemum

Yellow—Mrs. T. P. Harrall.

Pink—Mrs. T. P. Harrall.

White—Mrs. E. Ingram.

Bronze—Mrs. Parker.

Cream—Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Best Rose—Mrs. T. E. Wannamaker, Sr.

Best Dahlias—Mrs. Wm. Godfrey.

Best Zinnias—Mrs. Wm. Godfrey.

Best Cosmos—Miss Long.

Best Geraniums—Mrs. Walters.

Best Begonia—Mrs. Caudle.

Best Fern—

Climbing—Mrs. Thrower.

Asparagus—Mrs. Ingram.

Baby's Breath—Miss Ernestine More.

Ostrich Plume—Mrs. McIver.

Sword—Mrs. Poe.

Maiden hair—Mrs. Poe.

Spurgerit—Mrs. Poe.

Best Palm—Mrs. W. P. Pollock.

Best Palm Leaves—Mrs. L. D. Harrall.

Best Coleus—Mrs. Bishop.

Best Rose Geranium—Mrs. Bishop.

Best Apple Geranium—Mrs. Bishop.

Best Orange Tree—Mrs. Braswell.

Best Begonia, "Watermelon"—Mrs. Bundy.

Best Farfugium—Mrs. McIntosh.

Best Baby's Breath Fern—Mrs. Hartzell.

Best Oxalis—Mrs. W. P. Pollock.

Children's Table:

Best Palm—Wm. Thrower.

Best Roses—Harrington Thrower.

Roses—Preston Huntley.

Pepper Bush—Henry Burch.

Sweet Potatoes—Margaret Godfrey.

Pecanias—Mrs. Waddill.

Pears—Miss Etta Powe.

Vegetables—

Tomatoes—Miss Marie Lynch.

Pepper bush—Mrs. B. A. Thomas.

Pepper bush—Mrs. Braswell.

Bell Peppers—Mrs. B. A. Thomas.

Mr. H. B. Russ and family, who have been living in Florida, will again make Cheraw their home.

Japanese Persimmons—Harrington Thrower.

Chrysanthemums—Harrington Thrower.

Gourd—Kate Bundy.

Coxcombs—Eva Caulder.

Hickory Nuts—Geo. Hartzell.

Chrysanthemums—Malloy Evans.

Chrysanthemums—Marion Evans.

Pop Corn—Mrs. H. E. Godfrey.

Artichokes—Mrs. H. E. Godfrey.

Radish—Mrs. C. F. Moore.

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## DON'T NEGLECT YOUR WATCH

Let our repair department look it over once in a while for

nothing ruins a watch quicker than allowing it to run

when it needs cleaning.

A little attention given to a watch by our repair department

at the cost of an occasional dollar will lengthen its

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The Sparks world Famous Shows bblled to exhibit here Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, will present this year for their patrons appreciation the largest and without doubt the most wonderful herd of performing Seals and Sea Lions ever exhibited in America. These truly wonderful animals perform seemingly impossible feats and do them with the ease and grace only assumed by human performers. They have been trained to walk a tight rope while skillfully balancing an open umbrella on the tips of their noses. They climb ladders while balancing large rubber balls tossing them from one to the other with the greatest skill. They ride bareback on the galloping horses while whirling brands of fire, juggling rubber balls and other articles. The performance of these remarkable sea animals is truly a sensation and the ease and quickness with which they obey every command of Capt. Wesley, their trainer, leaves little doubt but what they enjoy seeing it. Some idea of the expense incurred in presenting this act to the public can be obtained from the statement that these animals must be fed on live fish which must necessarily be of the salt water variety, hence must come shipped alive from either the Atlantic or Pacific Ocean. It costs from five to ten dollars each per day to board these animals, varying according to the shows distance from either ocean.

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